

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for Authority to Institute a Rate Stabilization Plan with a Rate Increase and End of Rate Freeze Tariffs.	Application 00-11-038 (Filed November 16, 2000)
Emergency Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to Adopt a Rate Stabilization Plan. (U 39 E)	Application 00-11-056 (Filed November 22, 2000)
Petition of THE UTILITY REFORM NETWORK for Modification of Resolution E-3527.	Application 00-10-028 (Filed October 17, 2000)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING
SETTING COMMENT PERIOD**

Attached to this Ruling is a draft decision captioned: ORDER CLARIFYING DECISION 02-02-052. The order is being issued in response to a letter (dated September 9, 2002) the Commission received from the State Treasurer's Office. The letter is attached to the draft of the order. This order is being issued under Pub. Util. Code § 311(g) and Rule 77.7(f)(9).

For the reasons stated in the draft order, the comment period is shortened. Specifically, the public interest in an expeditious issuing of the State's bonds outweighs any need for an extended comment period on a limited clarification of a Commission decision. Accordingly, comments are to be filed and served on September 17, 2002 and no reply comments will be accepted.

IT IS RULED that:

1. Comments on the ORDER CLARIFYING DECISION 02-02-052 are to be filed and served on September 17, 2002.

2. Reply Comments will not be permitted.

Dated September 11, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ PETER V. ALLEN

Peter V. Allen
Administrative Law Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail, and by electronic mail to the parties to which an electronic mail address has been provided, this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Setting Comment Period on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated September 11, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ TERESITA C. GALLARDO

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